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This is a Continuation application of pending prior application No. 09/972,550 filed October 5, 2001. The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied, is considered to be part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference.

Enclosed for filing with the above-identified utility patent application, please find the following:

1. Copy of Oath/Declaration and Specification from the above-referenced pending prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))
2. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS/PTO-1449)
3. Preliminary Amendment
4. Return Postcard (MPEP 503) (*should be specifically itemized*)

OTHER INFORMATION:

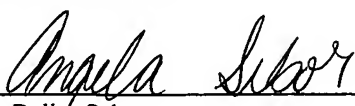
5. **FILING FEE IS NOT ENCLOSED AT THIS TIME.**
6. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge all required fees for extensions of time only under §1.17 to Deposit Account No. 19-1970.
7. The Power of Attorney appears in the original papers of the prior pending application.
8. The prior application is assigned to Martek Biosciences Corporation.
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